

NANCY WYNNE HAS A WORD TO SAY ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS OF THE DAY

Dr. and Mrs. Norton Downs Will Give a Large Ball Tonight at the Bellevue-Stratford for Their Debutante Daughter—Many Dinners Precede Dance

THE third big dance of the week will come off tonight, when Dr. and Mrs. Downs will give a ball at the Bellevue-Stratford for their daughter, Elizabeth Wharton Downs, more familiarly called Bessie by her friends.

Bessie belongs to the very oldest and first families of this old Quaker city. Her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas McKean, was Miss Bessie Wharton, a sister of Mrs. George Boker and a cousin of the late Miss Mary Wharton and Mrs. Charles Churchman.

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Of course, too, there will be the inevitable sausage, scrambled eggs and "cafe au lait" to usher in the dawn—all this is in anticipation, however; but, as every one knows, Riddle is another name for hospitality, and it's a foregone conclusion that every one will have a perfectly hectic time.

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Marguerite Stevens, Miss Anna Stevens, Miss Dorothy Lovering, Miss Marianna Merritt, Miss Molly Bradley, Miss Marguerite Boyle, Miss Elizabeth Stetson, Miss Ann Stetson, Miss Jacqueline Powell, Miss Nancy Drayton, Miss Phoebe Drayton, Frederick W. Morris, Jr., Beauvais Borie, Floyd White Starr, Daniel Merritt, Richard Rusk, Spencer Brock, Oliver Brook, John Gilbert, Rowland Gilbert, Furness Thompson, Benjamin Rowland and Horace Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Chew entertained at dinner last evening. Their guests were Miss Josephine Mather, Miss Dorothy Mather, Mr. Stephen Noyes and Mr. Charles McGleney.

Friends of Mr. Franklin McCrea Wirsman, of 2055 Pine street, who has been ill with grip, will be glad to learn that he is convalescing.

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MISS GRACE REID. Photo by Rembrandt Studio. The engagement of Miss Reid to Dr. Marlon Ernest Quina, of Pensacola, Fla., is announced by her mother, Mrs. Marshall Reid.

SURPRISE PARTIES, DUTCH SUPPERS AND RECEPTIONS

Various Social Doings in Many Parts of the City—Mr. and Mrs. Sholk Given Farewell Reception—Ara Bee Club Entertains

MR. and MRS. SOL H. SHOLK and their son, Mr. Monroe Sholk, of 5815 Duncas place, who are leaving this city for Wilkes-Barre, Pa., were given a reception Monday night at the Metropolitan Hall by their friends.

The Ara Bee Club entertained at a party Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Vincent A. Sillers, 303 Ellsworth street. The decorations were appropriate to the occasion and the favors were unique.

An interesting affair in honor of the betrothal of Miss Nettie Bram to Mr. Albert Russ took place at the home of Miss Bram, 174 North 7th street, on Sunday evening. Dinner was served at 5 o'clock, which was followed by a card party during which a considerable sum of money was collected for the war sufferers of Europe.

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A surprise party was given to Mr. Jules Grossmann at his home, 705 South 7th street, on Sunday evening. Refreshments were served after the dancing. Among those present were Miss Inez Savits, Miss Pauline Polakoff, Miss Eva Polakoff, Miss Anna Lurie, Miss Sara Lurie, Miss Sarah G. Saks, Miss Ida Stern, Miss Sophie Stern, Miss Dinah Feinstein, Miss Leah Feinstein, Miss Beatrice Oehrach, Miss Fanny Sherman, Miss Badye Grossmann, Miss Frances Grossmann, Miss Bessie Grossmann, Miss Fannette Weiss, Miss Paul I. Saturen, Mr. Charles L. Woorman, Mr. K. Charles Segal, Mr. Leo J. Sionimsky, Mr. Alfred Sherman, Mr. Herbert Sherman, Mr. Charles Brown, Mr. Maurice Saks, Mr. Phillip Rosenfeld, Mr. David L. Cuperemith, Mr. Isaac E. Feinstein, Mr. Bernard Grossmann, Mr. Edward I. Saks, Mr. Samuel Albert, Mr. Daniel Rook, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Saks and Mr. and Mrs. P. Grossmann.

A Dutch supper and surprise party were given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Coran, 1309 Milfin street, on Sunday evening. Among those present were Mr. Harry Dine, Jr., Mr. Stanley Albertson, Mr. John J. Ford, Mr. Harry Slaymaker, Miss Jennie Coran, Mr. M. Karaman, Mr. Julius Miller, Mr. Robert Kaplan, Mr. R. Bertram, Miss S. Bertram, Mr. and Mrs. J. Perlmutter, Miss Dobkin, Miss Hoodstein, Miss Teasie Coran, Mr. Henry Horn, Mr. Benjamin Horowitz, Mr. A. Horwitz, Mr. Louis Coran, Mr. Max Oxman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Perlmutter, Mr. Philip Sweetman, Mr. Maxwell Liss, Mr. A. C. Miller and Mr. Benjamin Horowitz. The latest and most popular musical selections were given by Mr. Slaymaker, Mr. Joseph Coran, Mr. Robert Kaplan and Mr. Maxwell Liss. Special selections were rendered by Miss Y. Dobkin, assisted at the piano by Miss Y. Dobkin. Master Harry Coran entertained with violin solos.

Mr. Abraham Greenberg, of Wilmington, Del., entertained the members of the Aqua Club, of Philadelphia, at his home, 106 North Adams street, Sunday. Mr. Greenberg is a member of the Aqua Club. President Simon J. Cohen presided over the meeting.

Mr. David Pomeroy, who represented the Apex Club, of Wilmington, was a guest. Among the members present were Mr. Abraham Greenberg, Mr. Simon J. Cohen, Mr. Abraham Cohen, Mr. Jack Margolis, Mr. James Sivak, Mr. James Pletcher, Mr. David Kramer, Mr. Louis Divockin, Mr. Louis Ershansky, Mr. James Treisman.

Mr. Charles J. Becker, of 2509 South Colorado street, in the Grand Estate, entertained a number of his friends at dinner. The arrangements were novel and most entertaining. Among the guests were Mr. Joseph P. Gaffney, chairman of the Finance Committee of Councils; Mr. Feter J. Hoban, Assistant Director of Supplies; Mr. James E. Dougherty, Bryn Mawr; Mr. Thomas D. Kane, Mr. B. J. Martin, Mr. J. J. Brady, Mr. J. J. Becker and Mr. George A. Becker, brothers of the host.

Miss Nona Mae Thomas entertained the members of the Sigma 'Mou Club at her home last evening. The members present were Miss Anna Corrigan, Miss Margaret Corrigan, Miss Kitty Coll, Miss Catharine O'Brien, Miss Margaret Whalen, Miss M. Carey, Miss Martha Sillers and Miss Frances A. Sillers.

The Mishorral C. J. C., at its last meeting declared its auxiliary, under the name Mishorral Auxiliary, independent, having no communications whatever with the Mishorral C. J. C. The president, Mr. Herman Malerman, appointed an entertainment committee to arrange a program for the second concert to be given to the children of the Hebrew Orphans.

A delightful surprise party was given in honor of Miss Rose M. Bloom on Sunday evening at her home, 412 Leidy avenue. The guests were Mr. H. Stein, Mr. M. W.

Home, in their auditorium. The committee consists of Miss Pearl Awerbach, Miss Rose Udowitz, Miss Clara Herman and Miss Jennie Jaapan.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Eagon, of 92 Dabota street, have sent out invitations for a reception on Tuesday evening, January 25, when they will celebrate the 8th anniversary of their marriage.

A meeting of the Carnation Sewing Circle was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Della Kupperman, 2563 South 7th street.

Delaware County The Barnstormers, a dramatic club, of Ridley Park, will give a Bal Masque in the auditorium this evening. Mr. Frank W. Lamping, Jr., is chairman of the committee, and is assisted by the following members: Mrs. J. Howard Reber, Mrs. James Gibson, Mrs. E. J. Bristel, Mrs. M. P. Boyle, Mrs. H. G. Hall, Mrs. Louise Van Dyke, Mrs. George J. Pequinot, Mrs. Faron, Mrs. Eugene Heyser, Mrs. E. L. Hocman, Mrs. William C. Segner, Mrs. John Pomeroy, Mrs. H. W. Buse, Miss Jane Devine, Mrs. E. K. Nelson, Mrs. Frank Kane, Mrs. F. W. Lamping, Miss Craven, Miss Elsie Rodgers, Mrs. Charles G. Hotal, Mrs. J. D. Shattuck, Mrs. R. B. Turner, Miss Helen Stetwagon, Miss Josephine Mitchell, Miss Helen Atherholt, Mrs. E. L. Hoffman, Mr. George L. Pequinot, Mr. J. Spencer Halkett, Mr. Earl Y. Deane, Mr. Arthur W. Lincoln, Mr. Walter Halkett and Mr. Charles G. Hotal.

Northeast Philadelphia Mr. Leonard Borshad, of 573 North 7th street, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Flatow, of Brooklyn.

Tioga Miss Helen Manning, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Manning, of 151 West Tioga street, gave an informal dinner last evening at her home. Her guests included Miss Emily Acher, Miss Florence Bradley, Miss Cecil Endy, Miss Helen Geary, Miss Alice Tabrum, Miss Adelaide Peas, Miss Martin, Miss Miss Alberta Goodwin, Miss Elizabeth Kremer, Miss Edna Frons, Mr. Herbert Frickel, Mr. John Noile, Mr. Howard Frickel, Mr. J. Scott, Mr. Cochran Fisher, Mr. A. Coppeland, Mr. John Zimmerman and Mr. Chauncey Mesarian.

Frankford Mrs. C. W. Sindig, of Kensington avenue and Clearfield street, will entertain the members of her phoche club Friday afternoon, January 28.

What's Doing Tonight Medical Club of Philadelphia, annual meeting and election, Bellevue-Stratford, 8 o'clock. Combined Musical Clubs of the U. of P. concert, Norman School for Girls, 8 o'clock. Sociological Society of Pennsylvania meeting, U. of P., 8 o'clock. University Extension Society discussion of "Distribution of Wealth," by Professor Thomas N. Carver, of Harvard, and J. H. Hollander, of Johns Hopkins, Witherspoon Hall, 8 o'clock. Anti-saloon meeting, St. Stephen's M. E. Church, Germantown, 8 o'clock. Free Women Writers' club meeting, 1210 Locust street, 8 o'clock. Friends' Educational Association, 140 North 15th street, 7:15 o'clock. Lectures, "Wild Animals and Wild Boys," by Ernest Thompson Seton, Girard College, 7:30 o'clock. Washington Post Executive Committee, 217 South Broad street, 8 o'clock. Annual club supper, New Century Club, 1000 Locust street, 8 o'clock. Philadelphia High School, Mercantile Hall, 8 o'clock. Rally, St. Stephen's M. E. Church, Germantown.

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